

**Amendments to the Specification**

**On page 2, please replace the paragraph beginning on line 19, with the following amended paragraph:**

--The aim of the present invention is to provide an inhaler for preparations in powder form that ~~allows to overcome~~ overcomes the limitations of the background art, particularly one which includes the functions of a capsule, in order to contain a dose of preparation in powder form until it is inhaled, and of an inhaler, so as to allow ~~to inhale~~ inhalation of the dose of preparation in powder form that it contains.--